The Federal Department of Foreign Affairs has the honour to communicate to the Governments of the States Parties to the Geneva Conventions the following:

On 25 June 1991, at the invitation of the Swiss Government as the depositary of the Geneva Conventions, the representatives of the States having made the declaration accepting the competence of the International Fact-Finding Commission (article 90 of the Additional Protocol I) met in Berne in order to elect the fifteen members of said Commission.

The members of the Commission, who will serve in their personal capacity, will be invited by the depositary to participate in the Commission's initial meeting set to take place in the first half of 1992.

Berne, 12 July 1991

Enclosure: list of the members of the International Fact-Finding Commission